CHRISTMAS PARADE INFO.* STARFIRES UPDATE 2006* SAT. DEC. 2ND (Also, regular classes) * TRAFFIC WILL BE HEAVY, AND IT WILL BE COLD! * (2-sided paper-read all!)

- 1) PARADE LINEUP TIME: Arrive no later than 4:30 PM!
- 2) <u>PLACE</u>: 600 block of <u>Caroline Street</u> (Streets will be blocked to regular traffic at 4:00! See MAP for PARKING & PICK-UP!)
- 3) JUDGES STAND will be in the 700 block of Princess Anne St.
- 4) <u>ONLY</u> designated parents are allowed in the street with the groups! Starfires can be disqualified if unauthorized people are in the street. You may walk on the sidewalk. Will be crowded.
- 5) STUDENT PICKUP: Wolfe St. by responsible adult only!
- 6) <u>MANDATORY PICKUP TIME</u> is <u>IMMEDIATELY</u> after the Starfires pass the judges stand and turn right onto Wolfe St.
- 7) ALL STUDENTS MUST BE PICKED-UP WITHIN 15 minutes.
- 8) <u>NO STUDENTS ALLOWED</u> to walk back to meet anyone! Students MUST be picked-up by parent or designated adult!
- 9) COACHES will remain with students until picked-up.
- 10) <u>FAILING TO PICK-UP A STUDENT ON TIME</u>: If you do not arrive for your child, it is possible that we may need to take them to the VISITOR'S CENTER OR THE POLICE STATION!

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- <u>MIGHTYS</u> will wear their full uniform with sweat pants & white sweatshirt over them for warmth. Hair up in high pony tail with bow. Gloves. Poms. (If warm enough, they will remove the sweatshirt) Novelty unit—they will be riding in a vehicle.
- <u>JR. PREP & "BABY BLUES"</u> will wear full uniform, with white or light gray sweatpants. Hair up in high pony tail with bow. Gloves, Poms,
- <u>SENIORS & TEAM BLUE</u> wear full uniform with hair up in high pony-tail with orange & white ribbons. Hose, gloves, POMS, Wear a thermal top under your blue turtle neck. May wear sweatpants until parade begins to move off.
- <u>ALL STUDENTS</u>: Wear a heavy coat. It can be placed in the banner car before parade moves or parents may carry the coat at the start of the parade. Pick up coats at end of parade
- EAT before the parade lineup * USE RESTROOM before lineup. NO GUM OR JEWELRY!

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- <u>WEAR</u>: gloves, thermal top, orange trunks, socks & tennis shoes & hose NO GUM! NO JEWELRY! BRING POMS!
- PLEASE DO NOT BRING HEAVY DUFFEL BAGS!
- <u>ALL STUDENTS</u> stay with coaches unless dismissed. NO ONE GOES TO THE RESTROOM OR ANYWHERE WITHOUT YOUR COACH'S PERMISSION & A CHAPERONE! STAY TOGETHER!.
- <u>BE PATIENT</u> THE PARADE LINEUP WILL BE ABOUT AN HOUR. STAY TOGETHER! LISTEN TO YOUR COACH!!
- <u>PARENTS</u> are welcome to wait at the lineup position (sidewalk) until the parade begins. ONLY AUTHORIZED parents may be in the street with the teams during the parade!
- <u>JUDGES STAND</u> on Princess Anne Street is the place that the STARFIRES <u>NEED YOU FOR SUPPORT!</u> Please, cheer, yell, clap & be noisy Act like cheerleaders!! It will help their performance! Any trophies won, will be ordered in January.
- <u>PARENT VOLUNTEERS</u> needed to bring hot chocolate & small cups. Please let Terry, Audrey or any coach know ASAP!

 (Always check the weather for outside events!!)

*THURS. DEC. 7TH - Regular classes! Next event Liberty Competition! (\$10 entry fee for Jan. 20th competition at Brooke Point H.S.-details...) *SAT. DEC. 9TH - Regular classes! Last before Liberty - full details.... (\$10 entry fee for Jan 20th competition at Brooke Point H.S. Jan. 20...) *SAT. DEC. 9TH: TEAM BLUE, EXTRA CLASS - Karate Bldg. 4-6 p.m. (Directions on last week's paper.) CLASSES MANDATORY. SUN. DEC. 10TH: LIBERTY H.S COMPETITION - ARRIVE 12:00 NOON - FULL UNIFORM & POMS (No gloves or hose). NO GUM - NO JEWELRY - NO NAIL POLISH. (Please be on time. They will not let teams go into the gym until ALL members are present.) LIBERTY DIRECTIONS: From Falmouth intersection: Take Rt. 17 North for approx. 30 minutes. You will come to (Bealton), Rt. 28 intersection --- cross Rt. 28 at stoplight, school will be on your right. ** You will be notified about pickup for OPTIONAL items** *SAT. JAN. 6 2007 - Regular class! Mandatory if going to competition. *THURS. JAN. 11, 2007-Regular class-Mandatory if going to competition. (Will Be taking Brooke Point entry fees, Trophy fees (if any) for the Parade and/or for Liberty - \$13.00 each add \$1 for name

NEXT COMPETITION IS JAN. 20TH. WE WILL BE COLLECTING \$10 per student, per performance beginning on Thurs. Dec. 7 & Sat. Dec. 9 Waivers will be handed out. Brooke Point H.S. is in Stafford County. TERRY 373-2297 <u>starfirestjb@cox.net</u> <u>www.fredericksburg.gov</u>
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